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Dr. Alan T. Waterman /
Director
National Science Foundation
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Dr. Waterman:

Your letter of 23 June, requesting the name of a representative of this Agency to work with the Foundation at the policy and programming level, was referred to me in Mr. Dulles' absence.

We are pleased to name [redacted] Deputy Assistant Director for Central Reference. As you know, [redacted] was our representative on your Federal Advisory Committee on Scientific Information, and will thus provide continuity representation in this important area.

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Sincerely,

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Paul A. Borel
Assistant Director

cc: Mr. Dulles

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

The Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. Dulles:

I would like to advise you that the Federal Advisory Committee on Scientific Information (FACSI) was formally disbanded by the Foundation on May 9, 1961, with the approval of the department and agency representatives previously named to that Committee.

The Foundation is interested in maintaining as close a liaison as possible with your agency in order to assist the Foundation's Office of Science Information Service (OSIS) in carrying forward its program directed toward the improvement of the Government's over-all scientific information program. A copy of Section 10 of Executive Order 10521, as amended, is enclosed for information because of its relation to the aforementioned program of OSIS. In this regard, the Foundation would appreciate your designating a representative from your agency who would be able to work with the Foundation at the policy and programming level. In addition it is hoped that such representative named by you would be able, as the situation warrants, to advise OSIS where in your agency assistance would be available on specific matters in the scientific information area.

Sincerely yours,

Alan T. Waterman
Director

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